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MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant Chief, DPD

THROUGH : Chief, DB/DPD

SUBJECT : Pending Visit of Representatives  
of DB to DPD

Although it has been mentioned frequently in the past that Mr. Bissell does not desire to have the DB Representatives briefed into Project OXCART, it is suggested that his reaction be ascertained to the proposal that the DB Team be at least briefed along the lines set forth in the following paragraph:

Project OXCART has as its objectives the covert development and utilization of a high performance aircraft with a photographic reconnaissance capability. Project OXCART is a joint effort of the Central Intelligence Agency and the United States Air Force. The CIA has broad responsibility for implementation and management of Project OXCART. The USAF provides necessary technical advice as well as logistical and personnel support.

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